

## SPRAY DYEING OF GARMENTS

## CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/386,161, entitled "SPRAY DYEING OF GARMENTS" filed on March 10, 2003, <sup>now ~~old~~</sup> the contents of which are incorporated by reference herein. This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/330,922 entitled "Automated Process for the Production of Garments" filed on December 27, 2002, <sup>now US patent 6,835,258</sup> the contents of which are incorporated by reference herein.

## BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

1. Field of the Invention

[0002] The present invention is related to fabric dyeing. More particularly, the present invention is related to methods of spray dyeing garments.

2. Description of Related Art

[0003] Today, fabrics are made from a wide-variety of natural fibers, synthetic fibers, and any combination thereof. Many methods have been proposed for dyeing fabrics.

[0004] One method, commonly referred to as yarn dyeing, involves dyeing individual fibers or yarns prior to these fibers being sewn or knitted into a fabric. One problem associated with such yarn dyeing method relates to